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Dollars and Cents.

What will this country be noted for hence! Dollars and cents. Dollars and cents. What are men striving for hot and intense? Dellars and cenis. Dellars and cents. What makes our politics rank with offense? Dollars and cents. Dollars and cents. What makes Mr. Gould, though a small man, im

mense? Dollars and cents. Dollars and cents. What makes our cashiers jump o'er the

fence? Dollars and cents. Dollars and cents. What causes crime on the slightest pretense? Dollars and cents. Dollars and cents. Why is it stern justice so often relents? Dollars and cenis. Dollars and cents. What more than all shadows tells coming

events? Dollars and cents. Dollars and cents. What makes you polite to a man of no sense? Pollars and cents. Dollars and cents. Why don't editors' vacations ever commence? No dollars, no cents. Not even cents.

The New Stery of Cock Robin. Who fought the party? "I," said John O., "My purse was full so I played

old smar.y." Who made him fight?

"I," said J. Crow, "for I am shrewd and always obesely right,"

Who rexed the "boss?" "I," said the general, "his bile I did rile to his very great loss.'

Who 'lected Wa'd! "I," said the Republican, "for can't you tamble, Neagle was my pard." Where is Pat?

"I-I I'm left; any d-d fool sould see that." The Vizina Fire.

At about 10 o'clock last night the whistle at the Vizina hoisting works gave the alarm of fire. In a few minutes the fire department were on the ground with their hose carriage, and the hose stretched from the hydrant on the corner of Allen and Fourth to the scene of the conflagration. At this time, some ten minutes after the alarm was given, the flames were shooting from the blacksmith shop, and threatened to soon envelope and destroy the entire hoist ing works. But when the powerful stream from the Huachuca water works was turned on, they were extinguished in a minute. When the alarm was given, the men were raised from the lower levels as rapidly as possible, and had the worst happened no one would have been left under ground to suffer the consequences. The origin of the fire was the blacksmith shop, a wing on the western part of the main building, in the coal bin where some 300 bushels of charcoal was stored. Exactly how it started no one appears to know, but it is generally believed to be a

TERRITORIAL TOPICS.

is fully insured.

The race track is being put in fine condition for the races.

The ladies of Globe are about to organize a hospital corps.

Over 190,000 pounds of ice will be put up at Prescott this winter.

Phenix complains of youthful vagrants. They are not barred as to age in this The Gazette, (Phenix) says: "The hemp

remedy, so efficacious in Idaho and Montana, if applied here, might have the effect of putting a stop to the numerous cases of horse stealing. The Courier says: "The Copper

tain mine, Lower Agua Fria district, has met the expectations of its owners and deyelopers. It is said to be a grand mine; large and rich.

The Silver King Mining company have declared their usual monthly dividend of twenty-five cents per share, aggregating ments presented by the grand jury. \$25,000. Total amount of dividends to date, \$1,100,000

The Prescott Miner says: "All the mountain ranges south of Prescott are covered with snow, while San Francisco towers aloft in the north, its snow crowned summit being visible for hundreds of miles.

Oh, We Guess Not!

Coleridge once wrote, "Plagiarists are always suspicious of being stolen from," and our evening contemporary affords abundant proof of the truth of the assertion. It accused the EPITAPH, the other day, of plagiarizing from a Colorado paper, We pardoned its ignorance in not being able to distinguish the difference between a plagiarism and a parody, upon the bread and humane principle that it was not fully conversant with the advice: "Man, know thyself!" But for actual downright plagiarism we commend its purported Guaymas letter in yesterday's issue to the careful attention of a discerning public. The supposed letter reads;

The ladies of Sonora are very beautiful. and of course in the capital city one sees the finest specimens of the different types of beauty. The ladies of Hermosillo of the higher class never go on the street with their faces uncovered. The Spanish "mantilla" of rich and costly material is very gracefully thrown across the lower part of the face, leaving only the lustrous beauty of the eyes revealed to the spec-Hermesillo is celebrated, as well as the rest of the state, for the fecundity of It is not unusual to see a family of from 15 to 20 children."

In a book published some two years ago by Leonidas Hamilton, entitled "Border States of Mexico," we find on page 31 the following:

"The ladies of Sonora are very beautiful, and indeed, the town is known as the place of beautiful women. The ladies of Hermosillo, of the higher class, never go on the street with their faces uncovered. The "mantilla," of rich and gorgeous material, is very gracefully thrown over the head, and one portion with that undescribable drapery, for which the Spanish ladies are noted, is carelessly thrown across the lower part of the face, concealing the features, while the beautiful eyes, some justrous black and others blue, only are rerealed to the gaze of the spectator. Hern osillo is celebrated, as well as the rest of the state, for the fecundity of its women. It is not unusual to see a family with from

News comes to us from Bisbee, that in doing the assessment work on the Empire mine a body of copper ore has been struck which may be of great importance. The extent of the ere body has not yet been determined, but it seems to come from the Broad Gauge through the Mammoth into swer. Motion granted upon payment of Empire ground. The two former claims we have more than once drawn attention attorney.

DISTRICT COURT.

Yesterday's Proceedings-Hon, D. H. Pinney, Associate Justice, Presi-

Court met pursuant to adjournment. read and approved, whereupon the follow. avs. Pasquale upon his tending the statutory ing proceedings were had: John Roth offered satisfactory proof and was admitted as a citizen of the United

In the case of F. M. Gray, held under

five indictments for forgery; it appeared to the court that there was not testimony enough to warrant a conviction, and the court ordered on its own motion that the cases be dismissed and the defendant be released from custody.

Territory vs. Edward Williams, for mur. der. Trial resumed and territory rested the case, whereupon the following witnesses were sworn and examined on the part of the defense: Nevada Beaman, William Terhune, J. F. Burke, A. E. Colby, William T. Alvord, H. Haggerty, James Kenney, E. Williams. H. Spankenburg was called in rebuttal and territory rested. After argument by counsel of both sides. The jury was instructed by the court and retired under charge of a sworn officer. They returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter. He was commanded to appear

at nine o'clock to-day for sentence. Upon motion of F. Stanford and presentation of a certificate from the supreme court of New York, Chas. G. Johnstone was admitted to practice as an attorney at this bar.

for further argument, upon plaintiff's ex- cattle at \$18 per head. Fred Nobmann ceptions to the findings of the referee, and the motion of the plaint: if to have the cause referred back to the referee for additional findings, was argued by counsel and submitted to the court, and by the has to pay 7 and 8 cents a pound for beef court taken under consideration.

Auderson vs. Behan. On motion o plaintiff, the case was dismissed on settlement made by appellant.

Court adjourned.

Territory vs. Ed. Williams, convicted of manslaughter. Sentenced by the court to be imprisoned in the territorial prison for the term of five years.

E. J. Smith vs. Edward Field. Defend. ant given five days additional time to Ben Cook et al. vs. Ingersoll Mining Co.

Demurrer sustained and defendant given twen y days to amend complaint. Lewis and Dibble were entered as additional attorneys for defendant.

J. oph Walker et al. vs. L. C. Hughes et au. Default set aside and defendant given ten days to answer. case of spontaneous combustion. The entire loss will amount to about \$350, which

J. S. Clark vs. James Reilly, Cause submitted, with leave to file authorities.

A. H. Emanuel et al. vs. R. Cohen. Cause referred back to referee to make additional finding, and the same be reported and filed on or before the first day of adjourned term of court, to which time this cause is continued.

P. W. Smith vs. A. H. Stebbins, Ordered that L. M. Jacobs be allowed to file a supplemental complaint therein within twenty days.

In the matter of the report of the grand jury, the court granted the same leave to continue their labors during the adjournment, and report to Judge Hoover at 10 o'clock a. m. December 18, 1882. The the stability and wealth of this section. court further ordered that the party in For instance, the dividends ceclared from jury or a committee thereof access to the hospital, for the purpose of making inves tigation, so far as relates to the action of connection herewith, directly or indirectly of any county officer, and so far as it relates to the finances of the county through its officers or any of them. Warrants were also ordered issued on the three indict-

The fine of \$5 heretofore imposed on the sheriff was, by an order of the court,

It is ordered by the court that the clerk be allowed \$5 per day for attendance on court for each day of the November term 1882, and the same amount per day for a deputy clerk for the same term.

In the matter of the clerk's execution for fees, it is ordered that it stand as a rule of this court that the clerk of this court may have execution in his own name for tables we have not included the yield of any fees that may be due him for services | the Peabody mine, which is by no means rendered by him as clerk in any suit or inconsiderable. We have the richest minproceeding. Said execution to be issued eral and grazing county in the whole teragainst the party or parties from whom such fees may be due.

Wm. M. Jenkinson et al. vs. Fair-Play Con. Mining Co. It is ordered that on Smith, special administrator of the estate

said Marcus A. Smith. In the matter of mileage for jurers, it is trial and grand, in attendance on this court for the November term, from a distance, be allowed at the rate of 25 cents per mile for one way.

Ada D. Davis vs. 8. C. Davis; divorce The court, upon its own motion, ordered that a decree be entered in this case.

take proof and ascertain particulars as to wages and means of plaintiff, with a view of ascertaining plaintiff's ability to provide for the children of the parties, and cavse continued for the term.

M. E. Clark vs. James Reilly. Stay of proceedings stricken out, and proscendende ordered issued to the court commissioner, requiring him to issue a writ of restitution in the premises. Undertaking to stay waste, use and occupation, filed at \$1,500, and five days stay given to give to be approved by the clerk of the court. Plaintiff consented that trial de novo be had, notwithstanding this order. Appellast accepts to the first part of the order. Hawkins, Boarman & Co. vs. J. H. Behan et al. Ordered that Defendant Mc-

Bride may amend affidavit and present to the court at adjourned term. A. Fortlouis vs. J. H. Behan. Same or

Sarah D. Carleton vs. Frank H. Carleton. Defendant asks leave to amend ancosts and \$50, atterney's fees, to plaintiff's

ing Co. Plaintiff gives leave to the defendant to withdraw deposition.

In the matter of clerical services where fees are due and unpaid, Wm. Herring moves the court that the clerk be ordered to enter and The minutes of the preceding day were file a certain order for defendant in Field fee for such service. The clerk interposed the objection that fees were due from the defendant and unpaid, and that under the provisions of law, chapter 57, section 17, compiled laws he had declined to perform the required service. The court sustained the position of the clerk and denied the mo-

The court adjourned, to meet at 10 s. m., finest quality. December 18, 1882.

The Ruise in Cattle.

The Mohave Mirer, in dwelling upon this subject, says: "Last August, when the board of equalization of this county raised the assessment on cattle from \$10 to \$12 per head, the stockmen all over the county raised the cry that it was an imposition and that it was too much, and some even went so far as to say that they would drive their cattle elsewhere. The wisdom of the board in taking the action they did has since become apparent in many ways, and at the present price of cattle in this county there is little danger of any cattle being driven away. Cattle are now held at prices ranging from \$18 to \$22.50 a head, and there are more buyers than sellers in the market, even at that high figure. Witness the recent sales of cattle in Mobave and Yavapai counties. C. T. Rogers, of Emanuel vs. Cohen. This case came on | Chino valley, recently sold 1,800 head of sold his entire herd a few days since, including calves, at \$20 per head. Charles Gross, of this place, has lately sold 30 head at \$20. Our Mineral Park butcher on toot. T. B. Shipp, the cattle-king of this county, was the lowest bidder on the contract to supply Grant & McDonald's camp with beef, and his figures were 11 cents per pound dressed and delivered, which is equivalent to \$22.50 per head for heaf cattle. Paul Breen and other stock owners on the Colorado recently asked \$22 per head for everything that was branded." From the Los Angeles papers we learn that that county, instead of being, as in tormer times, an exporter of cattle, has become an importer. There are not enough beef cattle in that section to supply the demand. And so it is throughout the most prosperous and populous sections of the country. On all sides we hear and read of the advance in cattle, the theory of which may be found in a nutshell. The great grazing ranges of the immediate past have been turned to agricultural purposes, and as the stock ranges decrease and the population increases the price of beef ad. ances. From personal knowledge and experience we know the price of beef cattle has steadily advanced since 1870, and it does not stand to reason that much of reduction may be expected.

Long Live Cochise. The truest and best friend-journalistic-that Tombstone has ever had is, and ever has been, the EPITAPH. Through warm and cold, through good and evil report, this paper has remained true and faithful to the best interests of the camp. It has always asserted that the present bullion product is sufficient evidence of

follows:	
Contention Con	9562,500
Copper Queen	. 375,000
Grand Central	. 175,000
Tombstone	200.000
Vizina	. 100,000
From January 1 to September	
the bullion shipments were as fol	
Boston Mill	\$15,000 00

nbstone.....

From this it will readily be seen that Arizona is doing pretty well, and as Tombstene turns out more bullion than all the rest of the territory together. Cochise county must necessarily be the bess county in the great southwest. In the above ritory, bar none.

Injunction Granted. The injunction case of the Copper account of death of plaintiff, Marcus A. Prince Mining company vs. the Copper Queen Mining company was heard by of plaintiff, be and is hereby substituted Judge Pinney last evening. Alexander plaintiff in said action, and said cause be | Campbell and G. R. Williams appeared for henceforth presented in the name of plaintiff, while the defense was represented by H. C. Dibble and J. F. Lewis. Affidadavits of Prot. Rolcker, I. James, James ordered by the court that the jurers, both | B. McDonald and E. H. Van Blarcom, concerning the matter at issue, were introduced, and after hearing extended and learned arguments by opposing counsel the court granted the injunction asked for. The injunction restrains defendant, until December 18, from working that portion of their mine mentioned in the complaint, Abraham Heitcher vs. Harriet Heitcher: plaintiff being required to file a pond in divorce. Cause referred back to referee to the sum of \$20,000, and maps of the disputed ground to be filed with clerk of the court. Prof. Blake and Ben Williams, superintendent, were present on behalf of the Queen, and the Prince company was represented by Messrs. Heine and Rolcker. The effect of the injunction is to restrain the Queen company, for the period specified, from working 555 feet of their ground.

Now, here's a story with a moral: A man was carrying a coon he had caught, when he met three little boys in the road, notice of appeal on file. Said undertaking All of them said excitedly, "Mister, give the that coon, give me that coon, give me that coon, mister." Well, boys, I'll tell you what I will do. If you will tell me the party you belong to, and why, I'll give it to the boy who gives the best reason.' "I'm a republican, because that party saved the Union," said one. "I'm a greenbacker, because that party is in favor of plenty of money." When the time for the third boy came, he said, "I'm a democrat, 'case I want the coon." Moral.-The last boy was right. The democrats are going to have the coon, and don't you forget it.

The handsomest saleswomen in town Ben Cook et al. vs. Ingersoll Con. Min. at-well, say, Summerfield's.

LOCAL NOTES.

A certain sport lost his night key and played Freeze-out until daybreak.

Charles Johnson, justice of the peace at Benson, was up from that burg yes-

The Tucson Star says: "A fashionabte efreshment in Tombstone is pearl-rice au

The latest thing is a flexible bustle. They are fashionable as well as useful at the skating tink.

The market continues to be fully supplied with venison and antelope of the

Every republican "coppers" his politics now.a-days and plays them "straight up" to win. He wins. High-heeled boots are fashionable now-

a-days, and will possibly remain so until the mud dries up. At a late hour last night Officer Coyle

was testing easily, but his recovery is yet a matter of doubt. The roads leading to Contention and

Charleston are considerably cut up by the heavy quartz teams. An amateur skater was rather badly hurt at the rink last night. He wears an

overburdened eye to-day. The moralists say, "An honest man is the noblest work of God," but the trouble is He didn't put in full time.

The young man with a kiss-me quickbefore-papa-comes mustache isn't so promiscuous now as heretofore.

The music at the Episcopal church is

not quite so classical or good as it used to be, but-yet it serves the Lord in a plain The grand base ball match between the

Tombstone and Tucson clubs will take place at the race track on Thanksgiving If Williams was guilty of the remark

attributed to him by the Republican he ought to have a life sentence and then be hanged.

Joyce takes a flying visit to his Sulphur Spring valley ranch, to-day, returning this evening. He has 100 cattle on his ranch

Judge A. O. Wallace returned yesterday

from Tucson. Isn't it queer how these old chaps go away from home to have a good time? What this county wants is some one who will get a "river and harbor" appro-

priation for the San Pedro. All the boys play Pedro. We understand the day shift at the Head Center has been discharged and the mine

shut down, pending the consolidation with the Tranquillity. The rain is not all over the town, alhough there appears to be an unlimited. quantity above, for it was falling almost all

Under Sheriff H. M. Woods is confined to his room with his old enemy, inflammatory rheumatism. His many friends hope for speedy recovery.

day yesterday.

In Maricopa the official count gives Osborn, for recorder, four votes over Kirk. land, and Webb, D. for assembly, five votes over Stinson.

charge of the hospital allow the grand January 1 to October 1, 1882, were as of manslaughter and will be sentenced by urge a reduction of taxation on the had agreed. The foreman of the the court this moraing. We are informed that 350 head of the

cattle belonging to the estate of John Mc-Kenzie have been contracted for by Thomas Dunbar, of Tres Alamos. Among the assets of the Western Union

Telegraph company are 131,000 telegraph poles, a good portion of which are infernal nuisances, so far as the public is concerned. Some people contend you can tell a man by his hand. Beb Hatch says it sin't so.

He struck a fellow once who had four aces, and he looked like he had a four The crossing from Joyce's Oriental saloon to the Crystal Palace has been laid that on iron and steel manufactures.

with stone. The thirsty traveler need not now wade through the mud knee deep to congress to the relation of the naget a drink. The deserters from the regular army during the past year were more than half as many as the enlisted and re-enlisted.

The boys do not seem to like Uncle Sam's way of doing things. The grand jury holds over until the court again convenes. In the meantime it will look for crooks and turns. It might be well to examine the records on

"brands and marks." Under Sheriff H. M. Woods is once more on his pins, but his condition is such that it is thought he will lose the use of his two great toes. This inflammatory

rheumatism is a great bore. The following bullion was shipped from Contention for the two weeks ending November 21: Head Center mill, 4 bars; Beston mill, 6 bars: Contention mill 22 bars: Grand Central mill, 11 bars. Total, 43

The Star says: "Tiffany says he has never been really happy since he left San Carlos. He forgot to steal the agency building," There is no use talking; some thing will have to be done with that man

A young man came in yesterday and asked us to publish a piece entitled: "We Are Not Missed." No, my son, just go outside and permit the zephyrs to fan your coat-tail, and we'll assure you that you will not be missed. Oh! dear-o, no. The ore of the Peabody mine is found to

contain a large proportion of garnet, a mineral that tends to raise the cost o smelting green carbonate ores considerably. The slag produced is thick, and much more coke and flux is required for its reduction. Much of what is called sand carbonates in this mine contains a large percentage of this garnet.

Mrs. G. W. Bloor, wife of one of the day or two. most sterling gentlemen in the territory, and mother of Jimmy Bloor, of the Err-TAPH, will arrive from California to day, This is her first trip on the frontier, and we trust she will like it. As a true woman, she longed to be with her household gods.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Terrific Storm on the Lakes.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 24.-Early this morning a very severe storm broke over the city. For half an hour the gale as accompanied by thunder and lightning. The schooner J. W. Doane, from Erie, was forced ashore at the breakwater, becoming a total wreck. The steam barge Empire safely arrived, having broken away from her tow, two schooners. the Gratton and the A. H. Moss, and it is feared they are lost. There will undoubtedly be more causalties to report.

LATER-The storm which broke here last evening continues to day in all its fury. The city never had to undergo a harder battle with the elements. Several persons were injured by falling signs, and the sidewalks are covered with debris. The wind was strong enough to overturn canvass covered express wagons. The velocity was sixty miles an hour. In andition to the loss of the schooner Doane, the schooner A. H. Moss is almost totally wrecked, having gone on the breakwater at the foot of York street. The life-saving crew rescued all hands and tugs are working to get the vessel off before she goes to pieces. The Little Giant floating elevator capsized during the night. The schooner Gratton was on the beach at Tift farm at daylight, and the life-saving crew have gone to her rescue. Water in the creek has risen four feet. So far not a life has been lost in this port, but escapes have been miraculous. The schooner J. W. Doane is a

total wreck. Loss, \$30,000. The crews of the schooners Gratton and A. H. Moss were saved. AT OTHER POINTS.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 24.-Two propellors and five sailing vessels were driven into Charlotte to-day by

stormy weather. DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 24 .-- The captain of the propellor Fountain City, which has arrived down the straits, thinks the loss to shipping by last night's gale will be very heavy. He says there were many crafts of every description out on Lake Huron, and that the storm on Saginaw bay was simply terrible. The schooner C. B. Benson was reported aground on Colchester reef, Lake Erie, yesterday afternoon, flying the signal of distress. The crow were lashed to the rigging. The vessel that sighted them was unable to get to them.

The National Finances.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24 .- The Sun's Washington special says: The report of Folger will estimate the surplus at the end of the fiscal year of 1884 at eighty million dollars. He relies upon an important decrease in the river and harbor bill and on the fact that in all the apprepriations he will bell was rung announcing the jury hint at the tendency to congressional extravagance and will intimate that this extravagance has been fostered by the knowledge that there was defendant was brought into the room, surplus of \$145,000,000, exclusive during which Col. Thornton seemed As will be seen in our report, Williams, of the sinking fund, at the end of the very nervous and excited. The the layer of Ziegler, was found guilty last fiscal year. The secretary will judge then asked the jury if they ground that large surpluses tempt to jury replied that they had, and was extravagance. He will recommend requested to read the verdiet, which that the debt ought not to be was as follows: paid off more rapidly than it comes that this can be done simply by ple against Clarence C. Gray: meeting the sinking fund. He will oppose the abolition of the internal [find the defendant not guilty. [Signed] revenue tax, but will go further than Mark Develin, foreman." he did last year respecting a reduction of these taxes. He will still urge that spirits and tobacco be taxed, but will suggest that the amount can be safely reduced. He further recommends a tariff reduction, but will the subject, though he will suggest the reduction of the sugar tax and He will also call the attention of tional banks to the bonded debt of the country, suggesting that a rapid extinguishment of currency may follow because the banks will refuse to take their 44s at a premium to replace their 31s, preferring to retire their circulation. The secretary will recommend, therefore, that if the revenues are not reduced, the banks be allowed to replace 3s and 31s with 4s and 41s, giving circulation for full face value.

The Railroad War.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24 .- The World

prints the following: MILWAUKEE, Nov. 23. itor of the World-Sir: I have to say in answer to your inquiries by telegraph, that I cannot possibly tell how long the existing and inexcusable railread war here may last. It has been begun because we refused to submit to what we deemed very unreasonable demands, and after we had offered to leave all points in dis pute to arbitration, it augurs badly for the future of railroad property in this country if great corporations are to act in this manner. After discovered in the act of digging up and child, was killed, and 26 cars submitting without retaliation for some weeks to umprovoked hostility, first bribed, but who has since told we are now simply trying to defend the whole story. ourselves. ALEXANDER MITCHELL,

President C., M. & St. P. R. R. CHICAGO, Nov. 24 .- Manager Cable, of the Rock Island road, this evening said there was nothing new in the passenger and freight war between this city and points in the northwest. He stated as his opinion that the war would be protracted. He declined to say anything in reply to the card of Alexander Mitchell, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, published this morning, but intimated that he might have something to say on that head in a

The Micaragua Canal. NEW YORK, Nov. 24 .- A Times

special says: Advocates of the proeffort to secure the passage of their persons of ten years of age and up- render.

upon \$7,000,000 in canal bonds, for twenty years. It will be called up almost immediately on the assembling of congress, by Miller, of California, who has had it made the special order for the first day of the session.

San Francisco Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25 .- The four mile race at Bay District park to_day attracted more attention than any sporting event for a long time past. There was a large attendance at the pool rooms last night, horses selling as follows: Precious, \$1.75: Fred Collins, \$1.40; Clara D, \$1.10; Nathan Coombs, \$10. Weather this morning cold, damp and threatening. LATER .- At the Bay District park

to-day the weather was cold and damp, the track heavy and a large attendance. The first race, a bandicap, mile and a quarter dash, was won by Joe Howell in 2:17, Frank Rhoads second, Atalanta third. The next race was a four-mile dash between Precious, Clara D., Fred Collier and Nathan Coombs. Precious was the favorite, even against all the others; second choice, Clara D. The horses got an even start, Clara outrunning from the start, Precious about five lengths behind under a strong pull, Collier a bad third, Coombs trailing. This position was maintained for the first two miles and a half, when Precious began to draw up on Clara, who kept up her pace. At the beginning of the third mile Precious got on Clara's quarter, and the two kept drawing away from the others until the last half mile, when Precious went to the front and won in a canter by about four lengths-Fred Collier a bad third, Coombs far in the rear. Time, 7:451. The next race, for a consolation purse, was won by Frank Rhoads easily in 1:491. The last race was mile heats over four hurdles between Mollie P. and Mattie B. The former won in two straight heats in 1:584 and 1:59. Betting was heavy on all the races, especially on the four-mile

Clarence Gray Acquitted.

REDWOOD CITY, Nov. 25 .- Mr. Jones commenced his argument in the Gray case at nine this morning and continued speaking until eleven. Judge Head then charged the july as upon the former trial and at twelve the entire case passed into the hands tion followed, which, it is said, unof the jury. Considerable interest is manifested by citizens, and small dozen men were in the conspiracy. crowds were congregated on the street corners discussing the case and waiting for the bell to announce that the jury had agreed. At 3:30 the had agreed, and all started for the court room. Some time elapsed after court was called to order before the

"In the superior court, county of due. He will recommend congress San Mateo, state of California; peothe jury in the above entitled action, demonstration of approval was made by spectators, but was quickly suppressed by the court. An affecting scene took place between Grav and his wife, and when the verdict was recorded and read to the jury by the make no special recommendation on clerk for their approval, and they all answered yes, Col. Thornton and Gray clasped each other's hands. It was some time before they separated. This ends the Clarence Grav case.

Nebraska Star-Routers. Омана, Nov. 25.—By agreemen? of counsel the jury to-day returned a verdict of guilty on one count in the case of the United States vs. Fred E. Clay, former postmaster at Sidney, who was indicted on 106 counts for making false returns as to the arrival and departure of mails via Sidnev and Black Hills stage line. The jury returned a verdiet of not guilty to the otner 105 counts. Clay was fined \$500. This ends all the star route cases in Nebraska arising from the Sidney and Black Hills stage line, Corben and Iddings having been acquitted on one indictment and all the other indictments dismissed.

Disagreeing Doctors, Springfield, Ill., Nov. 25 .- In a trial for damages against the town, for the death of a young lady, by a defective highway, one doctor testified that the collar bone was broken, which two others contradicted. The to the cemetery to exhume the body the corpse by a person who was at

Dust to Dust.

New York, Nov. 24 .- The funeral of Thurlow Weed took place this morning. Private services were held at his late residence, Rev. Drs. Hall, Pakton and Keen officiating. At the conclusion of the services, the funeral cortege formed and proceeded to the church, which was filled with a congregation composed of many preminent citizens and well-known persons from the interior of the state. Miss Harriet Weed is too greatly agitated to leave the house. The funeral party will leave for Albany this evening.

Washington, Nov. 24 .- A special census bulletin shows that in the

bill at the coming session. The bill wards, unable to read and 6,239,958 was favorably reported on from the unable to write. Of the number of house committee by Kasson a few persons unable to write, 4,019,080 days before the close of last session. are white; native whites unable to Blount, of Georgia, has now sent the write, 225,460; colored persons, ten clerk of the committee a minority years of age and upwards, unable to report. He especially objects to the write, 3,220,878; or seventy per proposed guarantee by the United cent of the population. The illiter-States of three per cent per annum acy is mostly confined to the southern states.

Distress in Ireland.

London, Nov. 24 .-- It has been officially announced to the government that widerpread distress is feared in Ireland this winter. The districts mest seriously affected from want of employment on the farms and failure of the potato crop are Sligo, Ballina, Twenford and the greater portion of Galway. There is also much destitution in West Clair and Connaught. Owing to the continuously heavy demands upon Irishmen in America to supdort the Land League, there has been a considerable decrease in remittances to strugging natives in Ireland. This has reduced many to such a condition that they have been unable to purchase seed.

Turf Topics.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24 .- Ex-Governor Stanford has finally determined to ship his stable back to California. He is desirous, however, of seeing a race between his Wildflower and Anna Stone, a three-year-old, before preparing for shipment. He has authorized the Turf, Field and Farm to announce that if any race can be arranged within two weeks with Eva, Alloy, Olgath, or any other threeyear-old, Wildflower will be one of the starters.

An Unraveled Mystery.

PORTLAND, Nov. 24 .- Mrs. Capt. John Smith, daughter of William Morgan, supposed to have been killed by the Masons in 1826, died at her home in Tehama, Marion county, Monday, aged 60. She never threw any light on the alleged tragedy, though it is believed she must have heard much about it from her mother and other relatives. She had been frequently interrogated, but spoke of the matter with the utmost reluctance.

Wholesale Robbery.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25 .- The Times says: It is learned that the wholesale boot and shoe house of Phelps, Dodge & Palmer have for ten months past been systematically robbed of some thirty to forty thousand dollars, possibly more, by some of their traveling salesmen, in collusion with some of their most trusted employes. The greed and boldness of confederates excited suspicion, and an investigaearthed the fact that upwards of a

Noted Thieves Sentenced.

CARLYLE, Ill., Nov. 25. - Last night a celebrated gang of thieves, who have been on trial several days, were convicted and sentenced. General Neff, the leader of the gang, and Bruckman were sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary. Joe Murphy and Joe Muntley received ten years, and Steve Muntley ave years. This gang operated extenstyely in North St. Louis and southern Illinois.

Mrs. Scoville.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25 .- Judge Loomis, in the County court to-day, granted Mrs. Scoville a new trial on the ground that, though possibly insane, she was neither homicidal nor suicidal is tendency, and not morose to friends, and hence not a subject for the asylum. The next trial will be the 16th of December, Dr. Ross agreed to guarantee that she will be present. She appeared in court today.

Garfield Monument Fair. Washington, Nov. 25 .- The Garfield monument fair will be opened at 2 o'clock to-morrow. The exercises will not include the contemplated oration, but will be confined to President Arthur's declaration that the fair is open. It will be made from the pagoda in the center of the capitol rotunds. The cabinet will be present, also justices of the supreme court, members, diplomatic corps, generals of the army, and admiral of

the navy.

The Stalwart Axe. WASHINGTON, Nov. 25. - The president, upon the report of the attorney-general, has issued an order removing District-Marshal Charles E. Henry, Postmaster D. B. Ainger, Assistant-Postmaster M. W. Parker, W. O. Helm, foreman of the Congressional Record, and George E. Spicer, commissioner of the Union Pacific railroad, on the ground they interfered with the administration

of justice in the star route cases.

Freight Train Wrecked. WINNEMUCCA, Nev. 25 .- A freight train consisting of 36 cars broke first, to head off a post mortem, went | through a culvert over which the engine passed safely, near White and make good his testimony by Plains, last night. A brakeman breaking the collar bone. He was named Campbell, who leaves a wife are wrecked. A track is being built around the wreck, and trains are expected to pass this afternoon.

Land Office Order.

NASHINGTON, Nov. 25 .- Commissioner McFarland informs ex-soldiers they must, in filing declaratory statements, make actual entry of land, establish residence and commence improvements within six months. They are not allowed six months more within which to commence residence and improvement as observed by land agent.

Missouri Criminals.

Sr. Louis, Nov. 25 .- It is announced that the grand jury will return an ignored bill in the matter of the killing of Col. Slayback by John A. Cockerill.

Frank James will be arraigned Monday in Kansas City on three in-

Statistics of Illiteracy. posed Nicaragua canal will spare no United States there are 4,923,451 dictments found previous to his sur-